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C O N F I D E N T I A L SEOUL 7015

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SHUM, PINT, KS
SUBJECT: CONDITION OF MYONGDONG PRISONER REV. MUN TONG-HWAN

REF: SEOUL 6990

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED TELEGRAMS EXPRESSING CONCERN OVER THE PHYSICAL CONDITION OF MYONGDON PRISONER REV. MUN TONG-HWAN FROM THE FOLLOWING: A) PEGGY BILLINGS, NORTH AMERICAN COALITION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS IN KOREA; B) PEGGY BILLINGS, (AGAIN) WOMEN DIVISION, BOARD OF GLOBAL MINISTRIES, UMC; C) REV. THOMAS J. MARTI, JUSTICE AND PEACE OFFICE, MARYKNOLL; D) DOROTHY C. WAGNER, CHURCH WOMEN UNITED; AND E) MOTHER-IN-LAW, H.W. PINCHBECK. ALL TELEGRAMS COME FROM NEW YORK EXCEPT PINCHBECK MESSAGE WHICH COMES FROM GUILFORD, CONNECTICUT. RETURN ADDRESSES ON CABLES DO NOT APPEAR SPECIFIC ENOUGH TO ASSURE THAT REPLY FROM EMBASSY WOULD REACH SENDERS.

2. EMBASSY REPORTED ON REV. MUN'S CURRENT PHYSICAL CONDITION IN SEOUL 6990. DEPARTMENT MAY BE FAMILIAR WITH WHEREABOUTS OF PERSONS WHO HAVE ASKED ABOUT HIS HEALTH, AND EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S CONTACTING THEM AND PROVIDING INFORMATION DRAWN FROM APPROPRIATE SECTIONS OF REFTEL.

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